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No. 221

S. P. 152

In Senate, January 29, 1941.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and 500 copies ordered printed.
Sent down for concurrence.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Laughlin of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED ~
FORTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to the Recording and Copying of Public Documents.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows :

Sec. 1. Photostatic, photographic copy of records, etc. authorized. Whenever any officer or employee of the state or of any county, city or town is required or authorized by law, or otherwise, to record or copy any document, plat, paper or instrument in writing, he may do such recording or copying by any photostatic, photographic or other mechanical process which produces a clear, accurate, and permanent copy or reproduction of the original document, plat, paper or instrument in writing.

Sec. 2. Copies admissible in evidence. Copies and records thus produced shall have the same effect, and be admissible in evidence in the manner and under the same conditions as copies and records produced in accordance with the law in effect immediately prior to the passage of this act.